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In re Application of:)
Koji MURAMATSU)
Serial No.: Not yet assigned) Group Art Unit:
Filed: March 27, 2001) Examiner:

For: AUTOMATIC DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING SYSTEM AND COMPUTER
PROGRAM PRODUCT

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231**

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), applicant brings to the Examiner's attention the document listed on attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed documents is attached. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the document listed on attached Form PTO-1449 and indicate that it was considered by making an appropriate notation on this form.

Applicant would also like to point out to the Examiner the following pending application:

(1) U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/543,081, may be related to the present application.

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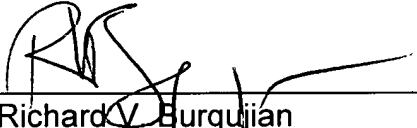
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	Z. Rosberg, "Remote-AWT", <i>Electric Document, Haifa Research Lab</i> , pp. 1-19, (January 5, 1998).
	Koji MURAMATSU, et al., "Object-Oriented Computer System and Computer-Readable Storage Medium Which Stores Program", U.S. Application No. 09/543,081, filed April 4, 2000.

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